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In re Application of  
Wu, Dai, and Sun  
Application No.: 10/823,867  
Filed: April 14, 2004  
Attorney Docket No: VERTE.008-102  
For: JOB FLOW PETRI NET AND CONTROLLING  
MECHANISM FOR PARALLEL PROCESSING

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This is in response to the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a), filed May 25, 2005 (certificate of mailing dated May 17, 2005).

The renewed petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status.

The above-identified application was filed on April 14, 2004, and was not accompanied by a properly executed oath or declaration. A Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application was mailed on June 24, 2004, requiring a properly executed oath or declaration and payment of a surcharge for the late filing of the same. The notice allowed an extendable period for response of two months from its mailing date. A petition was filed, responsively, on January 27, 2005, along with a request for an extension of time within the fifth month. The petition was dismissed by a decision mailed March 18, 2005.

Petitioner has shown that inventors Wu and Sun are either unavailable or are refusing to join the prosecution of the above-identified application after efforts were made to present the non-signing inventors with the application papers. The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status.

As provided in Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the addresses given in the petition. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

This application will be forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

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Dear Inventor Wu:

You are named as a joint inventor in the above-identified United States patent application filed under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 116 (United States Code) and 37 CFR 1.47(a), Rules of Practice in Patent Cases. Should a patent be granted on the application you will be designated therein as a joint inventor.

As a joint inventor, you are entitled to inspect any paper in the file wrapper of the application, order copies of all or any part thereof (at a prepaid cost per 37 CFR 1.19) or make your position of record in the application. Alternatively, you may arrange to do any of the preceding through a registered patent attorney or agent presenting written authorization from you. If you care to join the application, counsel of record (see below) would presumably assist you. Joining in the application would entail the filing of an appropriate oath or declaration by you pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63.

Telephone inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to Petitions Attorney Kenya A. McLaughlin at (571) 272-3222. Requests for information regarding your application should be directed to the File Information Unit at (703) 308-2733. Information regarding how to pay for and order a copy of the application, or a specific paper in the application, should be directed to Certification Division at (703) 308-9726 or 1-800-972-6382 (outside the Washington D.C. area).

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Dear Inventor Sun:

You are named as a joint inventor in the above-identified United States patent application filed under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 116 (United States Code) and 37 CFR 1.47(a), Rules of Practice in Patent Cases. Should a patent be granted on the application you will be designated therein as a joint inventor.

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